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Attached for filing is the patent application of:
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Entitled: DYED SHEATH/CORE FIBERS AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME

and including attachments as noted below:

Newly executed Declaration, Copy of Declaration from prior application, Abstract
 43 pages of specification and claims (including 20 numbered claims), and
 6 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.
 This application is a division of Application No. 09/844,269, filed April 30, 2001, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.
 The prior application is assigned to BASF Corporation.
 It is hereby requested that the Examiner consider the art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or the Examiner for the reasons stated therein.
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